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Public Notice of Storm Water Discharge

Black Hills Energy plans to submit a Notice of Intent to the Iowa Department of Natural Resources to be covered under NPDES General Permit No. 2, "Storm Water Discharge associated with Industrial Activity for Construction Activities". The storm water discharge will be from construction of new natural gas pipeline to pipe renewable natural gas from a local dairy producer to the interconnect of the main pipeline west of State Center in Marshall County, IA. This project will start at the dairy producer in Section 17, Township 83N, Range 20W extending north and east ending at the interconnect point in Section 33, Township 84N, Range 20W. Approximately 3.74 acres of soil will be disturbed and project completion is scheduled for the end of December 2022 with vegetation regrowth in spring of 2023. Storm water will be discharged from one-point source into road ditches that drain to Linn Creek.

Comments may be submitted to the Storm Water Discharge Coordinator, IOWA DE-PARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, Environmental Protection Division, 900 E. Grand Avenue, Des Moines, IA 50319-0034. The public may review the Notice of Intent from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, at the above address after it has been received by the department.